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8th Cincinnati, February 19—

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Berryman Richard  
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Boudurant Jacob  
Braham Mr.  
Ball Ostin  
Batterson William  
Bullock Mary  
Butcher Solomon  
Boyd John  
Brent Martin  
Boyce Robert  
Brashears Walter  
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Gord Spence  
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Christman James  
Campbell Isabella  
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Clark William  
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Dunn James Capt.  
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Putney Benjamin  
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Frazier Martha  
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Flint Tarrant P.  
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Goodwin Nancy  
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Murphy Charles  
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Moore Habin H.  
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Neeley Mary  
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Nelson Thomas I.  
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O'Neal Robert  
Osborn William  
Obannon Margaret  
Pullen Thomas  
Payne Henry  
Prasher Aaron  
Powell Honour  
Price Samuel  
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Price John  
Perkins Garrett  
Preston Francis  
Parrish James  
Pemberton Thomas  
Plimpton Charles  
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Parker John  
Postlethwait Samuel  
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Riley Benjamin W.  
Richardson J. C. Sen  
Rutherford John  
Richardson Allen 2  
Ross Alexander  
Rogers Mary  
Renek Henry  
Robertson William  
Ralls Peter  
Roach Richard  
Royal John  
Ricketts Thos.  
Riggs Edmund  
Robnet John  
Ringers George  
Rankin Adam Junr.  
Rice Luther  
Russell Mary O.  
Rora Jacob 2  
Stout David  
Smith Levin  
Skelton Josiah W.  
Stuart William  
Scott Peggy  
Sullivan Burges  
Steele Robert & Co.  
Spencer Eliza  
Spiers Thos. W.  
Saddler William  
Shober Robert  
Smith ASA  
Sands Daniel H. 2  
Steele John 2  
Short Chas. W.  
Todd Thos. Hon.  
Taylor Francis T.  
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Twist Austin  
Todd Jane 2  
Todd Mary O. 2  
Turner John A.  
Thomas Owen  
Turney David  
Taylor Josephus  
Taylor John W.  
Todd Charles S.  
Tilton James

Hammond Asa  
Hukins John  
Harber Stephen  
Howe George  
Hukil Thomas  
Harvey Kenner  
B. Hanna John  
Hatton William  
Hooper James  
Haywood William  
Hansell Morris  
Hudson Reuben  
Hurst John  
Johnson Mary  
Jeter Fielding  
Jacob John  
James John  
James Harry  
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Inskoep Joseph  
King Charles B.  
Keck William  
Kizer Jacob  
Little John  
Leigh Gerson  
Lewis Hector  
Lowrey Mr.  
Lightner William  
Lowrie Isabella  
Lewis Alexander  
Lay John  
Lewis William  
Metcalfe Elizabeth  
Merrell Mary B.  
Mitchell Levi  
Monroe William W.  
Montgomery E. Mrs.  
Mundy Harrison  
Meredith Betsy  
Martin Hudson  
Moore Catherine  
Madison Lucy  
Miller John  
Miller Martha  
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Messecck Emanuel  
Monroe William  
Madox Doct. J.  
Miller Daniel  
Medical Elisha  
Martin Thompson  
Moore Elizabeth W.  
Monro Nancy  
M'Kee David  
M'Peeters William  
M'Guire Douglass 2  
M'Carly James C.  
M'Clearand William  
M'Tigert Rachael  
M'Donnal James  
M'Fadden John  
M'Call James  
M'Clanahan Catha. 2  
M'Neal Archibald  
Nelson Ann C.  
Norwell Francis  
Nuckles Lewis  
Nekervis Thomas  
Outten Levi  
Owings William  
Oliver William  
Owens Samuel 2  
Oliver John  
Preston James M.  
Price Samuel  
Poindexter William  
Perkins Ruth  
Philips Henry  
Paterson Richard  
Parkinson Joseph  
Page Patsy  
Prather Walter  
Petit Benjamin  
Preston Walter  
Pearson Allen  
Purviance Margaret  
Pete James  
Prozsell John  
Rood Margaret  
Hudson Solomon  
Howard Robert S.  
Holeman Cornelius  
Hoard John 2  
Harper Margaret  
Hunter Samuel  
Hopkins John  
Hardin Daniel S.  
Huston Robert  
Johnson John  
Kinkead A. Captain  
Kinkead Eleanor  
Kinkead John Jr.  
Kinkead Joseph & John Koons N. Charles  
Lackland John 2  
Long John  
Lamplkin John B.  
Love Phoebe  
Mays Daniel 2  
M'Cumpsey John  
Mitchell Solomon  
Minzies Elizabeth  
Moss James  
Maynor Pleasant  
M'Gehe Samuel  
Nance Peter  
Offett Saberit  
Porter John P.  
Peters John  
Patton Feliz  
Richardson John C.  
Ross Alexander  
Ruddell Stephen Esq.  
Reynolds John  
Sharp James  
Stepp Levy  
Steele John  
Tuit George  
Tillery Samuel  
Twylor Buford  
Thompson David  
Thomson Nathaniel  
Trotter Robert M.  
Vance James  
Woolfolk Joseph H.  
Winn Thomas  
Wooldridge Green 2  
Without Nancy  
Young William

Vance William  
Vaughan James M.  
Vigus Sylvanus  
Ward Bartholomew  
Ward John 2  
Walden Elizabeth  
Wyatt John 3  
Wright Israel  
Warrell Jennings & co  
Winn Jesse  
Williams William  
Walker William  
Walker John  
Willson Samuel S.  
Wright Benjamin  
Wintworth Elijah  
Wing Joseph R.  
Webb Aaron  
Webster Henry  
Welch Betsy  
Wilkin John B. 2  
Worley Caleb  
Wharton William G.  
Winslow Hallet M.  
Warren Thos. B.  
West Charles  
Waring John W.  
Williams John  
Weigalt David  
Watson William 2  
Welch L. John  
Young John D.  
Young Thomas 2  
Zelman—Mr.

JOHN FOWLER, Post Master,  
Lexington Ken. July 1st, 1816.

PETER C. BUCK, P. M.

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Thomas Deye Owings,

Has removed his

IRON AND CASTINGS STORE

To the house formerly occupied by Mr. Bartholomew Blount, on Upper and Short streets, opposite colonel Morrison's—where he has on hand

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

IRONS & CASTINGS, VIZ.

Pots, Kettles, Skillets, Ovens,

And Irons, &c.

Lexington, 8th Feb.

MINERAL WATERS.

James Garrison,

Respectfully informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Lexington and its vicinity, that he has commenced preparing

Seltzer and Soda Waters,

at his Apothecary's Store on Main street, three doors below Mill street.—Having provided himself with plenty of Ice, he will be enabled to prepare those waters equal to any in the sea port towns.

19th Lexington, May 2, 1816.

Paint, Oil & Varnish Store,

In Short-street near Cross-street.

JOHN STICKNEY,

Has constantly for sale Boiled and Raw Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, Copal, Japan, Spirits of Wine and Rosin, Varnish, Putty, and Paints of all colors ready prepared for painting, Canvases, Hair Pencils, Paint Brushes, Window Glass, Chalk, Lampblack, &c. &c.

Likewise, a double set of Plated Harness, June 29th, 1816. 2-3w

Machine Making.

The subscriber wishes to inform the public that he still continues to carry on the above business at his old stand on Water-street, and is now able from his improved method of working and having superior workmen, to execute work in the best manner, either for Wool, Cotton, Hemp, or Flax, and on short notice—as to the quality of work I can refer them to Benj. Parish, in Lexington; Landen Lindsay, in Versailles; W. & Robert Garive, in Shetbyville, or James Taylor in Lancaster.

JOHN MARSH.

I shall have by the 15th of July, ready for sale, one complete set of Cotton Machines, consisting of one Double Throstle of 108 spindles, with suitable preparations, and of the best quality.

Lexington, June 28, 1816. 27-3w

LEXINGTON STEAM MILL

COOPER'S SHOP.

The publick are informed, that they can be supplied with Cooper's Work of every description, having on hand a large stock of the best seasoned materials, and several of the best workmen in the United States.—Gentlemen who may want to purchase PORK & BEEF BARRELS, for the ensuing season, are particularly invited to give us a call, as we shall be prepared to furnish any number that may be required, on a reasonable notice, and the work warranted good.

From 20 to 30 Journeymen Coopers, who are good workmen, will meet with employment—none else need apply for a birth. Reference to be had to

N. PETTIT, or

B. D. PETTIT,

At the Steam Mill of J. H. Moore & Co., June 26, 1816. 27-5w

To Jane Grayson Shore, Elizabeth Smith Shore, and Mary Louisa Shore, heirs and representatives of Thomas Shore, deceased:

Take Notice,

That on the 26th, 27th, and 28th days of August next, at the office of Henry and Edmund Wilkes, Attorneys at law, in the city of New-York, between the hours of ten in the morning and five in the afternoon, I shall take the depositions of Samuel Corp, Robert Lenox, John Taylor, John Ramay, Robert Bach, Peter Jay Monroe, John Tourt, Beverly Robinson, Samuel I. Beebe, John Wilkes and John Goodwin, all of the said city of New-York or its vicinity, to be read in evidence in a suit in Chancery depending and undetermined, in the Greenup Circuit Court, wherein I am complainant and George Johnson and you are defendants.

JAMES HUGHES.

Frankfort, Ky July 1, 1816. 28-4w

Notice is hereby given,

THAT by an agreement between me and my wife Sally Boston, late Sally Mosley, we have agreed to separate ourselves from each other, and have divided our property equally between us—this is therefore to forewarn all persons from trading with her or crediting her on my account, as I am determined not to pay any of her accounts. Given under my hand this 1st day of July, 1816.

JOHN BOSTON.

July 6, 1816. 28-3w

NOTICE.

M. SMITH, Minister of the gospel, Author of "The View of the British Possessions in North America, and History of the War" and others, begs leave hereby to inform the Christian public, that proposals are now in circulation to obtain signers for the publication in Lexington of a

Weekly Magazine,

TO BE CALLED

The Western Friendly Spy,

whose columns shall be open and free for the insertion of the writings of every class of people without exception and on any subject. The Editors therefore warmly solicit the aid of all persons of Genius of every name, as the Spy is intended for the purpose of disseminating opinion and argument in order to obtain truth, and not for the support of the faith of one set of professors.

Arrangements are already made for the reception of periodical information both from Edinburgh and London, and it is contemplated to open a correspondence with St. Petersburg in Russia; also, for the benefit of the Spy, several literary gentlemen have promised their aid towards the perfection of the Spy, yet more are wanted.

Those who have already subscribed, and those who have proposals in their hands, are hereby informed, that owing to a late alteration which has been made in the post office establishment, stiched and covered Magazines cannot be conveyed with certainty; and in order that subscribers may get regularly without fail, it will be printed every week on one sheet of paper to contain about half as much matter as first proposed, for the same price; and further, from the good prospect of support that the Spy will meet with, it is intended to publish the first number on the 15th of August next, of course all those who hold proposals, will please to return them to Lexington by that date instead of September.

The several Printers of Newspapers in the western country, who may be friendly to the dissemination of religious knowledge, and who may hold proposals for the Spy, will please to give the above a place in their papers as often as they think proper till the above date, and such shall be entitled to 52 numbers.

N. B. Subscriptions received at this office: Lexington, May 25, 1816.

CASH

Will be given for a

NEGRO BOY OR MAN,

Of good character, acquainted with driving a carriage, and taking care of Horses.

Inquire of the Printer.

May 24, 1816. 22tf

For Sale.

A COMPLETE SET OF

BLACKSMITHS TOOLS.

Three heading tools for Nails, an elegant pair of Shears for cutting Nails, also one large pair of Scates, the beam being one of the best in this country. Inquire of JAMES GARRISON.

Lexington, May 2, 1816. 19tf

October 10, 1814.

28-4w

TOMAS WINN.

20tf

Strayed

From the farm of Jam's Overton, 4 miles from Lexington, on the Stroud's road, a Poney, 14 1-2

hands high, chestnut colour, bald face, fore and hind legs white, 4 years old this spring—whoever will bring him to Oliver Keen's livery stable in Lexington, shall be rewarded.

June 6.

THOMAS WINN.

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## Declaration of Independence.

We have no authentic copy of this most important State Paper, the very basis that supports the proud column of American Liberty; none, at least, on which the eye of taste can rest, for a moment, with satisfaction. WHY HAVE WE NOT?

The English nation, still proud of their MAGNA CHARTA, though every provision it contains has been trampled upon by the bold ambition of their rulers, have published edition after edition of this instrument, each more splendid than its predecessor. Sir William Blackstone has collated and commented on it—his fine copy of Magna Charta has been excelled by later specimens of art, and the fac-similes of the seals and signatures have made every reader of taste in Great Britain acquainted, in some degree, not merely with the state of knowledge and of art at the period in question, but with the literary attainments, also, of King John, King Henry, and their Barons bold.

Surely the Declaration of AMERICAN Independence is, at least, as well entitled to the decorations of art as the Magna Charta of England: and if the fac-similes of the signatures of the patriots who signed it were published in America, it would serve to gratify a curiosity, at least as laudable as that which calls for imitations of the correspondents of Junius, or of the aristocracy that wrested the English Charter from the falsetto monarchs of the day.

We are firmly persuaded that the more the principles of our declaration of independence are spread out before the eyes of the world, the more they will be admired, by foreign nations as well as our own, and every innocent and honest device that may serve to attract attention towards them will serve also, to promote the great cause of public liberty.—Such an embellished edition as will render it an ornament to an apartment, will have tendency to spread the knowledge of its contents, among those who would otherwise have turned their thoughts but lightly towards the subject. Such an addition will serve to place it continually under the eye of man, woman, and child in a family—it will associate the pleasurable ideas of elegance and ornament with the history of the transaction itself—and familiarize those principles which form, or ought to form, the very bond and cement of political society. Now, with exertion, we will serve as a specimen of the state of the FINE ARTS amongst us at the present day. Actuated by these views, the Subscriber proposes to publish

### A SPLENDID EDITION

OF THE

## Declaration of Independence,

Which shall be, in all respects, American. All the necessary materials shall be manufactured in this country, and expressly for this publication. The Designs, the Engravings, shall be the work of American Artists: the publication throughout shall afford evidence of what our citizens have done in politics and can do in art.

Philadelphia, March 1816.

### PLAN AND TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

When the Publisher submitted the preceding notice of his intention to undertake this national publication, although it had long occupied his reflections, he was not fully aware of its importance, for he had never suspected what the fact really is, that there is no where extant an authentic published copy of the most important State Paper in the annals of the world.

The ORIGINAL Declaration of Independence, as deposited in the Secretary of State's office, was happily preserved when so many valuable papers were consumed by the enemy. Without dwelling upon slight differences, inaccuracies or omissions, the first words which present themselves in our printed copies, and even as they are of record on the Journals of the Old Congress, are as follow:—

"A DECLARATION BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN CONGRESS ASSEMBLED,"—whereas in the original the declaration is thus headed:

"THE UNANIMOUS DECLARATION OF THE THIRTY UNITED STATES OF AMERICA."

This is not a mere verbal distinction; it involves a difference in principle. Does it become Americans to be careless on this subject, or ought interpolation or alteration of any kind to be permitted in a public document so sacred? Ought it not to be faithfully preserved and transmitted to posterity word for word, letter for letter, and point for point? The American public will unhesitatingly answer YES! and the Publisher stands pledged to have it so engraved, and to accompany it with the requisite proofs of authenticity.

The size of the Paper will be 36 inches by 24. It will be manufactured by MR. AMIES, in his best manufactory, and of the very best materials.

The Design, which is from the pencil of MR. BARONET, will be executed in imitation of Bas Relief; and will encircle the Declaration as a cordon of honor, surmounted by the Arms of the United States. Immediately underneath the arms will be a large medallion portrait of General GEORGE WASHINGTON, supported by cornucopiae, and embellished with Spears, Flags and other Military trophies and emblems. On one side of this medallion portrait, will be a similar portrait of JOHN HANCOCK, President of Congress, July 4, 1776; and on the other, a portrait of THOMAS JEFFERSON, author of the Declaration of Independence.

The Arms "of the Thirteen United States," in medallions, united by wreaths of Olive Leaves, will form the remainder of the cordon, which will be further enriched by some of the characteristic productions of the United States; such as the Tobacco and Indigo Plants, the Cotton Shrub, Rice, &c. &c.

The whole of the design, (excepting the portraits,) will be engraved by MR. MURRAY, of Philadelphia, who has for some weeks been at work on the plate.

MR. LENET, of New-York, will engrave the portraits.

By the advice of all the Artists engaged, the Publisher has abandoned the idea of printing the Declaration with TYPES, and has determined to have the whole of it ENGRAVED. The ornamental disposition and style of the engraving of the Declaration of Independence, which will occupy the interior of the cordon, will be designed and executed by MR. FAIRMAN.

The fac-similes will be engraved by MR. VANCE, who will execute this important part of the publication at the City of Washington, where, by permission of the Secretary of State, he will have the ORIGINAL SIGNATURES constantly under his eye.

The public are well apprised that the gentlemen whose names have been mentioned, as undertaking particular departments in the proposed publication, are the first Artists in the United States, and they have, one and all, assured the Publisher that they will sedulously devote themselves to the execution of the several parts they have undertaken, and will finish them in such a manner, as to do credit to themselves and to the country, so far as depends on the anxious employment of their respective talents on this national work.

The PORTRAITS will be engraved from original paintings and the most esteemed likenesses.

The ARMS of the United States, and of the several States, will be faithfully executed from OFFICIAL DESCRIPTIONS AND DOCUMENTS, and in the manner directed by the most approved authors on the science of Heraldry.

From the arrangements made, and the disposi-

tions manifested by the Artists, it is confidently expected that this engraving will be, when finished, a splendid and truly national publication. The Publisher thinks he can promise that it shall be ready to deliver to Subscribers in February next, at TEN dollars each copy, to be paid on delivery.

The engravings will be accompanied by a PAMPHLET, containing the official documents connected with the publication as authorities, and a list of the Subscribers' Names.

The engravings will be delivered to Subscribers in the manner in which they may have subscribed.

It is contemplated to have a few copies printed on paper prepared to carry colours, to have the Shields accurately tintured in the modern style; and the Plants &c. coloured by one of our most approved water colourists. The price of those superb copies will be THIRTEEN dollars each. As no more of those copies will be printed than shall be subscribed for, gentlemen who wish for them, are requested to add the word "coloured" to their subscription. JOIN BINNS.

Philadelphia, June 1816.

Subscriptions for the above proposed splendid Engraving will be received at this Office, Lexington, Ky.

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To the Voters of Fayette.

FELLOW-CITIZENS,

It was with much diffidence, and some degree of reluctance, that I ventured to come forward as a candidate for the assembly, at the last election; considering it a very important trust, a trust which is too seldom appreciated in a proper manner, and which ought to be discharged with the utmost integrity and promptness. But being frequently solicited by respectable citizens, and feeling a readiness at all times to serve my country, and aid in its prosperity, I suffered my name to be enrolled amongst the rest of the candidates, and published my sentiments on the subject. This was done a sufficient length of time before the election, for any one having objections to have made them known; but nothing was said no—one was candid enough to let me know their disapprobation either public or private, until a few hours before the close of the election on the third and last day, when to my great astonishment a very sanguine hand bill was industriously circulated amongst the people, in which I was charged with invariably supporting the Federal candidates, and of lurking, (though plausibly) as the writer said, in the enemy's camp. These unreasonable and injurious reports, together with the outrage and violence of my opponents, were, according to the general opinion of the people, the reasons why I was not elected. I need not, fellow citizens, enumerate the particular acts of these men, because many of you were eye witness of this turbulence, and disorderly behavior, in crowding the ces as I am able to render, I think it probable even examining the voters before they could find admittance, with other outrages, contrary to the constitution and laws of our country, and contrary to the character and feelings of civilized men. These things were done too by some men, who one might suppose that immodesty itself would even blush, to see engaged in such rude and imprudent conduct. The cause pursued and the effects produced were sufficient evidence, to induce me to believe, that the publication was intentionally detained until that late hour, for the purpose of preventing a refutation; but in order to counteract their evil and unjust designs, I retired a few moments and wrote a defense, with an intention of reading the charges, and my answer, and of speaking to the people at the court house door. But no sooner did I attempt to speak, than I found it entirely impracticable, owing to the noise and interruption evidently designed to drown my voice in the clamorous sound.

I will not at this time name the publishers of the hand-bill, but I have sufficient evidence to prove that one of them did on the same day, on which it was circulated, acknowledge that he believed I was as good a Republican as any in the state, with other flattering expressions, which (when connected with his conduct) are beneath the dignity of an honorable man. With respect to the charges, fellow citizens, I deny them, and the former poll will prove them false. I am not, nor have I ever been a party man. I think it an indignity to any man, to be driven into quarrels and disputes, on account of the heat and imprudent acts of others. I had much rather be engaged in reconciling differences amongst men, in a proper manner, than to stir up animosity, and thereby make their imprudent divisions wider, especially when those divisions are only produced by mere speculative opinion, and not principle. Every man in a free government like ours, has a right to enjoy and express his opinions freely, and no one has a right to controul such liberty, except so far as it comes in contact with the just rights and liberties of others. Free and friendly discussion on subjects of importance are the very life of liberty and improvement. The right of free suffrage, or choosing our own servants or officers, I consider the base and foundation of a republican government; and being one of the greatest political blessings, all encroachments upon this right, either by force, tumult or bribery, agreeable to the 11th article and 4th section of our excellent Kentucky Constitution, ought to be strenuously guarded against, and punished as heinous crimes. I have at all times appreciated this right, and have never failed to vote, when I thought it important to our liberty and independence, and have uniformly voted for such men as I deemed best qualified, or the most suitable to fill the place for which they offered, without paying attention to party. My object in the choice of men has always been to get such as were conscientious men, and true Republicans; not tories, despots nor jacobins. As to the charge of lurking in the enemy's camp, I need not say much on that subject. I never was in Canada, nor have I been one mile out of the state of Kentucky, for more than fifteen years past, which I dare say will not be disputed; nor do I believe there were enemies or their camps within four hundred miles of this county, during the late war, except there might have been a few Indians and their camps within a shorter distance, & except also, those hot headed jacobin kind of despotic men, who wish to dictate for, & overbear every person that even honestly and innocently differ from them in sentiment. This kind of men, fellow citizens, whether they may be called Federalists or Democrats, are in reality the greatest enemies of our country; and their camps, (if such there be,) are the camps of the enemies of our once happy republic. But, fellow citizens, I have, through the whole course of my life, endeavored to shun such men and their camps, as being dangerous to our rights and liberties, by causing unnecessary divisions, and keeping up party spirit amongst us. The simple epithets of Federalist and Democrat has, in my opinion, produced an hundred fold more injury to our government, than the emissaries of Great Britain and all Europe together; and should it be the will of Providence to bury those names or distinctions in oblivion, I am persuaded we should again become a happy people. These names, fellow citizens, appears to be a very simple cause of the unhappiness of

a nation of sensible men; but they are not more simple than the words, *all is lost*, being dropped by one person, either through fear or design, which was the cause of the overthrow of Bonaparte's army at Waterloo, and probably the procuring cause of his final downfall.

I will not venture to say there are no other enemies to our government in the United States, or even in this state, but if there are, I hope and believe they are but few; and I will say, I have not, and trust I never shall have anything to do with such or their camps. I profess myself to be a true American, and too much of a Republican to be lead by party, or drove by opposition. My political creed is simply comprised in the following sentences, to wit: Love to God and my country—Liberty of conscience, and a right to worship according to its dictates—Liberty of speech and of the Press, with due regard to the character and feelings of others—Free suffrage, frequent elections, with a frequent change of officers of government, agreeable to the opinions of the great politicians WASHINGTON and JEFFERSON—and lastly, a disposition to follow the golden rule, of doing to all men as we would they should do to us, under similar circumstances.

We are fellow-citizens, disposed to govern ourselves by these rules, we should hear but little of gag laws, burning effigies, raising riots and mobs, causing, proscribing, and predicting evil against those that honestly differ with us in sentiment. We are strictly guided by such rules, moderate per diem compensation, short sessions, plain living, and an humble deportment like a true servant of the people, would suffice for us. I have not, fellow-citizens, written for the purpose of soliciting your suffrage at this time, but have done it for the purpose of answering the illiberal charges exhibited against me last year, in justification of my political character, and for the satisfaction of my friends, many of whom seemed to be equally wounded in their feelings with myself. I should have written shortly after the election last summer, but was prevented by affliction, until I thought it a more suitable time, when elections were again talked of. The prompt and honorable support of so large a number of respectable citizens last year, and frequent solicitations to offer my services the present year, would have constrained me to have become a candidate for the ensuing general assembly, had not my pecuniary concerns particularly called me to the eastern states this summer, a journey which I intended to have undertaken before this, and which I must of life and health permit, undertake within a few weeks. But fellow-citizens, should it be the will of Providence to spare me life and health, and you should think proper to accept of such service and disorderly behavior, in crowding the ces as I am able to render, I think it probable

I may offer next year.

I am, fellow-citizens, very respectfully, yours &c SAMUEL AVRES.

Lexington, July 5, 1816.

Pay Master General's Office,

Washington City, June 25, 1816.

INFORMATION is hereby given to claimants for five years half pay, in addition to the notice issued from his office, dated the 9th of May, 1816—

That by the first section of the law therein referred to, the widows of commissioned and non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates, of the regular army, rangers, sea fencibles, volunteers and militia, excepting those of the regular army, who enlisted to serve for the periods of "five years" and "during the war," are, in their own right, as widows, entitled to five years half pay; provided the husband died while in the service of the United States during the late war, or in returning to his place of residence after being mustered out of service, or who shall have died at any time thereafter, in consequence of wounds received whilst in the service." Where there is no widow, or where she intermarries, the child or children, under 16 years of age, are entitled to draw the said half pay pension.

That by the second section of the law of the 16th of April, 1816, where all the children of non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates of the regular army, who enlisted for five years or during the war, and who were killed in battle, or died of wounds or disease, while in the service of the United States, during the late war, are under the age of sixteen, they are entitled to five years half pay, to commence on the 17th day of February, 1815; Provided, all claim, right, title and interest in and to the land, or land warrant, to be, within one year from the 16th of April, 1816, relinquished, surrendered, and given up by their guardians. Evidence of guardianship, under seal of the proper authority, must be produced, and the guardian, at the time of receiving each payment, must shew that the child or children be living.

ROBERT BRENT,

Pay Master General

ANDREW STANTON,

COMMISSION MERCHANT

HAS opened an assortment of Merchandise, in that commodious brick building on Main street, nearly opposite Mr. Lewis Sanders Domestic Warehouse, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms for cash, country produce, plank, scantling, &c.

Having rented Mr. Sanders Steam Mill, at the lower end of Water-street, he is in want of Wheat and shelled Corn—She is now grinding, and the highest price will be given, delivered at the Mill, for these articles. In the purchase or sale of produce and merchandise, or any other business, in the Commission line, he flatters himself his long experience, and extensive acquaintance, will enable him to serve in the best manner, all those who may please to favor him with their commands.

Lexington, June 22, 1816.

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DR. I. HORWITZ,

Late Practitioner of Philadelphia,

Offers his services in the various branches of his profession to the citizens of Lexington and its vicinity. He will be ready for consultation at any time at his Medical Office, on Mill-street, between Main and Short streets.

June 15, 1816.

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Notice.

THE Shareholders in the Lexington White Lead Manufacturing Company, are requested to attend a general meeting of the Shareholders, at the counting house of S. & G. Trotter, & Co. on Tuesday the 16th day of July next, for Special business.

By order of the Directors,

B. METCALF, Clerk.

Lexington, June 29, 1816.

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Kentucky Insurance Office.

July 1st, 1816.

THE President and Directors of the Kentucky Insurance Company have this day declared a dividend of Five Dollars on each share for the six months ending this day, which will be paid to the Stockholders on and after the 6th instant. By order.

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J. L. MARTIN, Cashier.

THE MISSOURI COUNTRY.  
Extract of a letter from an officer at fort Osage, dated April 29.

"This fort is beautifully situated on the bank of the Missouri river, about 400 miles from its mouth, and on the boundary line between the Missouri territory and the Indian lands not yet purchased. There are three or four small settlements on the river between this post and its mouth. Our nearest white neighbours are those of Boon's settlement about 100 miles below us, near the mouth of Le Moine river, and about 60 miles above the mouth of Osage river. The greater part of the country between this place and the mouth of the Missouri, over which I have travelled or hunted, is equal or superior to any part of the United States in point of situation and fertility; and unless some unforeseen occurrence should prevent, this vast tract must be the garden of America.

Our nearest residents and daily visitors are the Big and Little Osage nations, and the Caw nation; some of these tribes are always with us. They are numerous and powerful, but friendly with us. The Ioway and Sane nations are below us on the Grand River; they are frequently with us.—Though they took an active part in the late war against us, they now profess friendship—but we keep a sharp eye on their conduct. None of the tribes farther north have visited us. Some of them are expected in the course of the summer.—They are not so friendly; they continue to commit murders and robberies, particularly when they meet our hunters near the mountains and Spanish lines. A Mr. Greenwood, a hunter and trader, came to the fort a few days ago, who was robbed by the Pawnee Indians of about 1500 or 2000 dollars worth of property; he and his comrades escaped with nothing but their lives. A report has reached us through him and two other channels, that a Mr. Chouteau with a party of 30 or 30 men, have been attacked and robbed; that some of them were killed and the rest dispersed, by the Indians, and escaped only with their lives.

I intend by next autumn, if I can gain permission to take two or three whites and a party of Osage Indians, and visit the salt mountains, lakes and ponds, and see the natural curiosities along the mountains. The salt mountain is but 500 or 600 miles west of this place.

We have been honoured by a visit from Col. BOON, the first settler of Kentucky; he lately spent two weeks with us. This singular man could not live in Kentucky when it became settled. He has established a colony or settlement, as mentioned, on the Missouri about 100 miles below us, which has been nearly destroyed by the Indians during the late war. The colonel cannot live without being in the woods—he goes a hunting twice a year to the remotest wilderness he can reach; and hires a man to go with him, whom he binds in written articles to take care of him, and bring him home, dead or alive. Col. Boon is 85 years of age, five feet seven inches high, stoutly made, and active for one of his years; is still of vigorous mind and pretty well informed. He has taken part in all the wars of America from before Braddock's war to the present hour. He has held respectable state appointments, both civil and military; has been a colonel, a legislator and a magistrate—he might have accumulated riches as well as any man in Kentucky; but he prefers the woods, where you see him in the dress of the roughest poorest hunter."

### BALANCE OF TRADE.

# Kentucky Gazette.

LEXINGTON, MONDAY, JULY 15.

"True to his charge—  
He comes, the Herald of a noisy world;  
News from all nations lumb'ring at his back."

To the People of Kentucky.

FELLOW CITIZENS—When I was announced as a candidate for the office of chief magistrate of this commonwealth, several considerations of considerable magnitude weighed on my mind, against yielding my hearty consent to the solicitations of many of my fellow-citizens: First, my inexperience in the duties of so great and arduous an undertaking, coupled with a want of that general acquaintance with the people, which appears necessary on occasions of this kind; to succeed, secondly, my state of health, besides some considerations of minor importance, being only of a personal nature, all of which I consented to forego with this reserve, that I would be at liberty to be withdrawn, provided the citizens would fix on some other person in whose talents and political character they had confidence; that such a character is to be found in Major MADISON, I have no sort of doubt, and who is now before the public as a candidate, but who was not at the time I consented to be one, and in whose success to that office I give my most sincere approbation. Those friends who were warm in their solicitations for my advancement, I hope will rigidly appreciate the reasons assigned; I cannot, however, close this address, without stating that to find so many of my acquaintances zealous for my success, will ever be to me a most consoling reflection, and will ever be remembered with the most lively and unfeigned gratitude. The sheriff will be so good as not to open a poll for me at the ensuing election.

With sentiments of sincere regard, the public's most obedient servant,  
JAMES JOHNSON.

Great-Crossings, July 13, 1816.

Editors of news-papers will please to publish this address.

For the Kentucky Gazette.

## CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION.

The introduction of Mr. POPE, at the present time, proves indeed, his sincere "devotion to public life;" and that his retreat from its bustle, was not a voluntary resolution. Had he adhered to his determination of refraining from a participation in "public life," he would have acted wisely; but resuscitated by the first gleam of hope, his resurrection is announced, with a weighty load of sins, for the commission of which, his indignant constituents had banished him. Those sins were of the deepest dye. They are registered in the recollection of every watchful republican; and will only be obliterated when the sovereignty of the people shall be destroyed by the influence of corruption. The following are the captions of his enormities:

Of denying the right of the people to instruct their representatives; and of disobeying those instructions.

Of insulting the voice of his constituents, upon the floor of Congress, with reproofs of their insignificance.

Of uniting with the federal party against the war with Great-Britain, when all attempts at pacification and adjustment, were found useless.

Of belonging to a party whose politics are known to be federal, and obnoxious to those of republicanism; and

Of endeavouring to take the advantage of the conflict in opinion, and to distract the true sentiments of the people.

Fellow-Citizens, these are my objections to Mr. Pope—Those against Mr. Clay, are too current to need repetition. Weigh them well. But had I the power of deciding the contest between these two candidates, alone, it would without hesitation, be in favour of Mr. Clay. He has erred; but he has asked forgiveness—he has never denied the right of the people to instruct their representatives, or thrown himself into the arms of federalism, as Mr. P. has done—with him, however, a probation is thought necessary—but in the name of common sense, are the people of this district so destitute of men of correct principles and suitable qualifications, as to be forced into a reluctant choice? to be swindled out of their opinions, and yoked with a burthen truly galling to their necks? Have we no man whose political integrity stands unimpeached? whose qualifications are suitable, and whose energies will be directed to the support of republican principles? We have—and such a man I estimate THOMAS A. BARK, who requires only to be better known, to be duly appreciated. Let not our representatives carry with them our suspicions and dread of corruption; but let them go with the hearty approbation of freemen whose confidence has been bestowed freely.

A REPUBLICAN.

At a meeting of a number of voters within the bounds of Capt. Caven's Company, near his house, on the 6th day of July, 1816, to take into consideration the propriety of appointing delegates to meet the convention at Higbee's on the 20th inst. after having appointed a chairman and secretary, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Having seen a preamble, and resolutions attached thereto, passed by a volunteer company in Lexington, commanded by Capt. M'Calla, respecting and disapproving the meetings of the freemen of this district, for the purpose of selecting a proper person to represent them in Congress:

We consider the censure passed by that company on those meetings, as unauthorised, unjust, and subversive of a permanent principle of our free government; because the meetings which they censure haven't been military but civil, and intended to ascertain the opinion of those entitled to vote within the bounds of Captains' companies on the subject proposed. The censure was therefore unauthorised, because Capt. M'Calla's company has no particular bounds and was not therefore in the recommendation; unjust, because it proceeds upon a mistatement of facts respecting those meetings, as military, when in fact they were not so, and disapproves them, on grounds entirely false; which has a tendency to mislead the people. It is a violation of the principles of our government, because it is in direct opposition to that article of the constitution, which expressly authorises assemblies of the people.

Resolved therefore, that we consider ourselves by the constitution authorised to hold this meeting for the purpose of selecting a proper person to represent us in the next Congress;

and that we will never part with that invaluable privilege while we have the power to maintain it.

Resolved, That we consider it expedient and proper to send delegates to the convention to be held at Higbee's on the 20th of this month, and that Waller Bullock and Chas. M'Pheters be appointed for that purpose.

Resolved, That we highly disapprove of the compensation law, passed at the last session of congress, and that we will vote for no man who supported that law.

Resolved, That John Pope, Esq. be requested to state publicly his opinion upon that law, and whether he will serve if elected.

Resolved, That a copy of the above resolutions be forwarded by the Secretary to Mr. Pope, and to the editors of the Western Monitor and Kentucky Gazette, for publication.

C. M'PETERS, Ch.

A. H. ARMSTRONG, Sec.

To the Voters residing within the bounds of Capt. Caven's Company.

FELLOW CITIZENS,

In answer to the request contained in your Resolutions, I beg leave to assure you, that I feel much honored and gratified, at this evidence of your good opinion and respect.—With unfeigned sincerity I declare, that it is with much reluctance I appear before the public in a political attitude. I am ready to confess, what I have before said, that I am fond of public life. To be useful to my country, and to have it said by my fellow-citizens, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant!" are the leading objects to which my ambition aspires.

The dissatisfaction of the people with my public course, together with my pecuniary embarrassments, had determined me, however, to devote myself to my private and professional business, and to take no share in the political concerns of my country, at least for some years to come. I had indeed occasionally thought of a seat in the state Legislature, with a view to some measures of cardinal importance, to the State, which I have much at heart; but in this course I perceived I should have to encounter a determined and active opposition, and had therefore for a time abandoned it. Although

conscious that my feelings and views were in strict union with the freedom and happiness of my country; that no man was more devoted than myself to the great principles of American liberty; that I never gave a vote to advance my private interest; that I was at heart a real friend to the people, and incapable of even imagining any thing against the liberties or prosperity of my country; yet if I had not public confidence, I deemed it my duty cheerfully to acquiesce in the disposition of the people, to confide their public affairs to other hands. If they thought I had erred, it was their right and duty to censure me, and my duty to have with respect to their decision. The change of public servants is probably the best corrective of public error—the only effective security against the abuse of power. Experience has taught me to venerate a sentiment expressed by one of the great men of the revolution: that a jealous spirit, among the people, of men in power, is the great preservative of freedom.—A few weeks ago, I certainly did not anticipate that my name would be used in relation to a contest, in which I now seem likely to be engaged—and which, but for the revival of topics connected with my public course, the attack made on me in the Reporter, and the urgent solicitations of my friends in all parts of the district, I should most earnestly have endeavoured to avoid. At first, when solicited to become a candidate for Congress, I avoided the subject, and declared to my most intimate friends my unwillingness to embark in political controversy, which I regarded as incompatible with my views and arrangements, and with the duty I owed to myself and family: and afterwards, when called on to know, whether I would serve if selected, I answered, that as a republican I could not say that I would refuse services to my country, if required by the people, but that I would not consent to have my name used, unless a very general disposition was manifested to elect me. The use, however, which has already been made by my name, the general expectation of the people in the district, the repeated and pressing solicitations of my fellow-citizens from different quarters, together with your resolutions, impose on me the necessity of this address. I here take the liberty to disclaim any agency direct or indirect in originating the plan of a meeting of delegates at Higbee's, nor did I know or hear of the intended course of Captains Faulkner and Sullivan's companies, till after their resolutions were adopted. I do not mean to discuss the propriety of that plan. The manner of opposing a principle, or the political pretensions of an individual is with the people. On that subject they are sovereign; and when it becomes an object to produce concert and union, a departure from the usual course is to be expected. If the late Compensation Law, upon the propriety of which the approaching election seems likely to turn, be of minor importance, unworthy the attention of a generous and enlightened people, it is certainly a reproach on their good sense to have said so much about it: but if it be a measure, whose character and principles render it worthy of decided popular disapprobation, then the people owe it to themselves as freemen, to manifest their sentiments in some decisive and unequivocal manner. They should, in common with their fellow-citizens elsewhere, resist the novel principle of this law, now for the first time presented to the American people. I would prefer to give my views at large in relation to this law, on some public occasion, and in answer therefore to your request. I will merely state very briefly my opinion upon it. I am decidedly opposed to it. I think the amount too great, the operation of the law on the present Congress indecent and improper, the conversion of the representatives into salary officers very objectionable, dangerous, and absurd, and the retrospective application of the law an outrage on principle and property, unexampled, I believe, in the annals of American legislation.

In answer to the enquiry, whether I will serve if elected, I have to observe, that the people may command my services in the next Congress, if it be their pleasure to do so. However inconvenient it may be to me, I will obey their will upon the subject. Should another however be nominated in opposition to the principle of the Compensation Law, it would be more agreeable to me, as it is contrary both to my inclination and interest at this time to enter into public life. In conclusion, I beg leave to add, that should the voice of the people call on me, and should I be elected, I shall, in the discharge of my public duties, have two objects principally in view,—to do right, and to give satisfaction to my constituents. I have at a very early period sworn in my heart allegiance to the principles of the American Constitution, which I solemnly pledge myself never wilfully to violate. The happiness and prosperity of the Western people ever have been, and ever will be, with me, objects of peculiar solicitude.

Your fellow-citizen,  
J. POPE

Lexington, July 8th, 1816.

## THE NATIONAL BANK.

We cannot but congratulate ourselves and the country at large upon the prospect of the early operations of this institution.

Whatever difference of opinion may have formerly existed as to the renewal of the charter of the old United States' Bank, there is at present in Kentucky almost an undivided sentiment of approbation in favour of the Bank recently chartered by Congress.

Who will not gladly hail the measure which shall reanimate and give new life to our palsied and rotten paper system?

The gold and silver of the country is hoarded up by the wealthy, or buried in the vaults of the state Banks.

The subscriptions to the National Bank, are, however, bringing forth a considerable portion of this hidden and buried treasure: and when the Bank commences its operation, the residue will be brought to life and light, and again perform in its general circulation, the usual and necessary purposes of society.

The specific payment of the National Bank, aided by the late measure of Congress as to collection of the revenue, must necessarily produce the resumption of specie payment by the State Banks, or they must cease to derive the immense profit now received by the circulation of their notes.

Who will not hail as a national blessing the measure and era which shall restore to us the circulation of gold and silver, the only real money of the country, and relieve us from the inevitable ruin in which our present wretched paper system is plunging us?

On the first day of July the books for subscription to the National Bank were opened in Lexington, and there has been subscribed stock to the amount of—hundred thousand dollars. A sum greatly beyond the most sanguine calculations of any one—a sum evincing the wealth and spirited exertions of the country, and the great anxiety for the establishment of the institution—a sum combined with our known capacity to do an extensive and profitable Banking business cannot fail to secure us the prompt establishment of a Branch Bank.

Feeble and in some instances embittered efforts have been made, and are now making to pull down and tarnish the fame of some distinguished republicans who advocated the establishment of this Bank.

It is painful to see prints professing to be republicans, and in some instances edited by men of talents, loosing sight of that dignified examination of principles and investigation of public men and measures necessary to the advancement of truth.

The Aurora has, upon this, as upon some other subjects, distinguished itself for a virulence of invective and vulgarity of aspersions, altogether unworthy a sound heart and enlightened head.

In Kentucky the poison has carried along its own antidote, and instead of casting any shade upon the virtues and distinguished services of Mr. Madison and Mr. Dallas, the personal and defamatory imputations of the Aurora have recoiled upon their author and excited the disgust and regret of every liberal and enlightened head.

troubles of Spain. Now we reclaim the

territory which belongs to us in the most amicable manner. Instead of negotiating, the American government declares it will keep the territory. Here then is the commencement of a rupture. It is doubtless very disagreeable to us to see ourselves menaced with a war by the United States, at a time when we have to combat the insurgents of Buenos Ayres and the Caracas. We have no allies against the United States; we calculate on the energy and justice of our cause.

The above is of a piece with M. de Onís' lofty epistle to our Secretary of State on the same subject; to which and all such rhodomontade, Mr. Monroe's letter of the 19th January is a sufficient answer. That letter, however, could not have reached Madrid so early as to give rise to the above article, which is, therefore, probably founded on the representations of the Spanish Minister here. We do not consider this article as indicating the approach of hostilities; since the "rupture" with Spain (with which the disagreement or difference) has long existed on our part. If the government of Spain considers itself aggrieved, as intimated above, all that can be said of the matter is, that there are now two sides to a question which had before but one. We have a long score against Spain; she wants to make out a counter-score against us. Our government, of course, will maintain its rights, "peaceably if we can, forcibly if we must," as Mr. Quincy once said on a very different occasion.—Nat. Intel.

A GRAND Annual communication of the GRAND LODGE of Kentucky, will be held at the Masons' Hall in the town of Lexington, on the last Monday in August next, evening at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time the punctual attendance of the representatives of all the subordinate Lodges is required.—By order of the M. W. Grand Master.

JAS. G. TROTTER, G. Sec.

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## Notice.

Those persons who have claims on Mr. John Coleman, for Barley, Wood, &c. &c. are requested to attend at my house on Saturday next, the 23rd instant, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock, for the purpose of making a joint arrangement to compel those who have his property in possession to pay his debts, and for other purposes relative thereto.

THOS. STUDMAN.

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## Notice.

A GREEABLY to a decree of the Fayette Circuit Court, at the August term 1811, will be exposed to sale on the 14th of August next, all the right and title of William Hays' heirs, to one hundred acres of land—situate on the Kentucky river, below the mouth of Marble creek, one mile from Grimes' mill and now in the possession of — Hunter and adjoining John Hunter. Sale to commence at eleven o'clock, at Hunters on the premises.

WALTER CARR, JAMES MARTIN, Commissioners.

July 12, 1816.

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## Tobacco Wanted.

I Will advance Merchandise at the lowest cash prices, to any of my acquaintance, on account of their present crop of Tobacco, to be delivered in the leaf at the Manufactory of Mr. Henry Kelly in Lexington, and I will allow the highest price at time of delivery.

AND. STANTON.

July 13, 1816.

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**Apprentices Wanted.**  
Two or three apprentices to the Tanning and Currying business, will be taken, on application to the subscribers—boys from 15 to 17 years of age would be preferred.

A. LOGAN, & SON.

Lexington, July 13, 1816.

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**CLOCKS & WATCHES.**  
SAMUEL AYRES,

HAVING lately received from Philadelphia, a supply of the best Clock and Watch materials, in addition to his former stock, is now prepared to do business in his line on the shortest notice. He has on hand ready for sale, several first rate Clocks and a few new Watches of a good quality—he continues his shop at the corner of Main and Mulbury streets, nearly opposite Capt. Postlethwait's Tavern Lexington, where he also keeps a regular supply of the best JEWELRY and SILVER WORK, which he sells on the lowest terms according to quality; and the highest price given for old Gold and Silver. He has lately received a quantity of Spectacle Glasses of a superior quality, suitable for old and young persons, which he will sell with or without frames, to suit his customers. He expects in a few weeks to go to the eastern states, to be absent from this state three or four months in which time his shop will be carried on by Messrs. A. Cook and Charles Clark, who will give every attention to those who may please to call on them for business, orders from a distance will also be strictly attended to.

B. He also has for Rent, an excellent upper Room, suitable for a School, with desks and seats complete.

Lexington, July 1, 1816.

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**THE LEXINGTON SELECT Young Ladies' Academy.**

MRS. BECK has the pleasure of informing her friends and the citizens, that her pupils are to be examined on various branches of education on Thursday and Friday, the 18th and 19th instant, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M. each day. Parents, and persons interested in the mental improvement of Young Ladies, are respectfully invited to attend.

The various English branches taught by Mrs. Beck are Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic; Grammar, Rhetoric, and Logic; Geography, Astronomy, and the use of Globes; Natural and Moral Philosophy; Mythology, History, sacred and profane.

The terms of which are, per quarter.

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Music, vocal and instrumental,

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Drawing and painting,

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Embroidery, Painting on Satin, &c.

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Fancy Ornaments and Needle-work of every description,

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# SUPPLEMENT TO THE Kentucky Gazette.

LEXINGTON, JULY 15, 1816.

## (BY AUTHORITY.)

### AN ACT

To establish Post Roads.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following post roads be, and the same are hereby discontinued; that is to say,*

From Portland by Windham, Raymond, Bridgeton, Lovell, Waterford, Norway, Paris, Buckfield, Summer, Hartford, Livermore, Turner, Poland, New-Gloucester and Hebron Academy, to Paris in Maine.

From Waterford by Norway, Rumford and Bethel in Maine.

From Maryland to Milford in New-York.

From Delii to Meredith in New-York.

From Onondaga by Tully, Preble and Homer, to Cortland court-house in New-York.

From Montgomery court-house, by Tatnall court-house and Barrington, to Darien in Georgia.

From Abingdon, by Russell court-house, and Mockinson Gap, to Abingdon, in Virginia.

From Rogersville, Tennessee, by Lee court-house Virginia, to Cumberland-Gap, in Tennessee.

From Huntington, by the north road to Smithtown in New York.

From Buckstown, by Frankfort, Hampden, Bangor, and No. 1 to Orrington; also the route from Prospect by Mount Ephraim, to Frankfort in Maine.

From Plymouth by New-Hampshire, Meredith, Gilman, Northwood, Nottingham, and Durham, to Portsmouth in New-Hampshire.

From Cressburg, Pennsylvania, to New-Lisbon in Ohio.

From Barfields Port's Ferry to Johnson's Ferry, on Lynch's Creek, South-Carolina.

From Port's Ferry to Conwayborough, in South-Carolina.

From Carthage to Lebanon, in Tennessee.

From Windsor to Williamston, in North-Carolina.

From Triadelphia, to Ellicott's Mills.

From Gallaway to Broadalbin.

From Centreville to Leesburg.

From Taunton to Weymouth in Massachusetts.

From Canton to Gorilla, in Connecticut.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the following be established as post roads viz:

In Maine.

From Lovell to Fryburg.

From Portland by Poland, Hebron, Norway, Paris, Buckfield, Summer, Hartford, Livermore, Turner, Minot, New-Gloucester, and Hebron Academy to Paris.

From Port and by Windham, Raymond, Bridgeton, Lovell, Waterford, Norway, Paris, Rumford, Bethel and Albany, to Waterford.

From Norridgewock by Starks and Industry to Farmington.

From Machias to Hagg's Point, in Lubeck.

From Belfast by Mount-Ephraim, Frankfort, Hampden, and Bangor to Edington.

From Augusta to Brown's Corner and Harlem, to Palermo, from Orrington to Brewer.

From Canaan by Palmyra, Newport, Crosbytown and Carmel, to Hampden.

In New-Hampshire.

From Plymouth to Compton, Thorntown, Peeling, and Lincoln, to Franconia.

From Portsmouth by Dover, Madberry, Barrington, Barnstead, Gilmanton, Meredith, and New-Hampshire to Plymouth.

In Vermont.

From Grand Isle to Alburgh.

From Hyde Park to Morristown, and Stow, to Waterbury.

From Rutland by Parkerstown Pittsfield, to Stockbridge.

From Newbury, on the Possompse turnpike, by Barnet, St. Johnsbury, Lynden, Sheffield, and Barton, to Derby.

From Colaine, Massachusetts, by Halifax and Whitingham, to Wilmington.

That the post road from Monkton to Hinesburg, pass through Starksborough.

In Massachusetts.

From Northampton by Williamsburg, Gothen, Plainfield and Savoy, to Adams.

From Worcester by Milbury, Northbridge and Uxbridge, to Smithfield Rhode-Island.

From New Bedford by Bridgewater to Boston.

That the mail from Northampton to Worcester pass through Paton.

From the south parish of Bridgewater, by west and north parishes of Bridgewater, Randolph and Milton, to Boston.

In Connecticut.

From Middletown to Kingsworth.

From Hartford, through Canton, Torrington, Torrington, Goshen and Cornwall, to Sharrow.

In New-York.

From Essex by Westport, Moriah, Crown-Point, Ticonderoga, Hague and Bolton, to Fort George, in Cadwall.

From Williamstown, Oneida county, by Richland, Ellsworth, and Henderson's to Sackett's Harbour, in Jefferson county.

From Richfield by Plainfield, Brookfield and Hamilton, to Skaneateles.

From Catherinetown by Reading, to Benton.

From Manlius, by Pompey east, and Pompey west Hill, Tully, Preble and Homer, to Cortland, c. h.

From Whitehall to intersect the post road from Albany to Middlebury, Vermont, at Greenville to Poultney in Vermont.

From Sullivan, by Camillus, Brutus and Mentz, to Junius.

From Auburn by Mentz, Cato, and Woolcott, to Sodus bay.

From Stanford by Roseville, to Delhi.

From Maryland by Otego and Miford, to Hamburg p. o. in Unadilla.

From Genoa to Auburn.

From Oswego by Hannibal and Sterling to Cato.

From Whitesborough along the new road to the east end of Oneida Lake to Camden.

From Brownsville to Cape Vincent.  
From Saratoga Springs by Palermo and Coeur, to Sandy Hill.

From Canandaigua by Rochester and thence along the ridge road to Lewistown.

From Oswego by Spencer c. h. in Tioga county, Dutch and Johnson's settlements, to Catharine town.

From Geneva by Phelps and Lyons, to Sodus.

From Westport, by Elizabeth and Keene, to Jay.

From Newburg by Peasant Valley, to New-Paltz.

From Batavia by Middlebury to Warsaw.

From Goshen by Minisink and Amity to Warwick.

From Goshen by Phillipsburg, Middletown, Mount Hope, Deer Park, and Carpenter's Point, to p. o. in Montague, in New-Jersey.

From Huntington by Dixhill's to Smithtown.

From Hudson to Kinderhook Landing Castleton, and Shodick Landing, to Greenbush.

From Hudson to Lebanon.

From Sagg Harbor to Easthampton.

*In New-Jersey.*

From New-Brunswick by Boundbrook, Middlebrook, Somerville, White house, Hunt's Mills, Bloomsburg, to Easton, in Pa.

From Pittstown, the county of Hunterdon, by Bloomsburg and Stewartsville to Harmony, in the county of Sussex.

From Jobstown, in the county of Burlington, to Egypt, in the county of Monmouth.

*In Pennsylvania.*

From Meadeville by forks of Oil Creek, Warren, and outlet of Chetaugua take to Mayville, in New-York.

From Seller's tavern to Doylestown.

From Sutbury by New Berlin, Union county, and Middlebury, to Lewistown.

From Lewisburg by Loysock Gap to Williamsport.

From Bellefont by Birmingham and Burgeo Gap to Edensburg.

From Downington by Brandywine Manor, Waynesburg, Darnarvan, Ephrata, Elizabeth, Cornwall and Hummelstown to Harrisburg.

From Beavertown to Nev Lisbon, in Ohio.

From Gettysburg by Oxford and Berwick to York.

From Bedford to Johnstown, in Indiana.

*In Ohio.*

From Waynesville by Belleroak to Xenia.

From Hamilton by Oxford to Bath, in Franklin County, I. T.

From Gallipolis to Aurora; from West Union to Ripley.

From Salem by Canfield, Austintown, Warren, Braceville, Sharon, Neilson, Airan, Mantau and Aurora, to Newbury.

From West Union, by Hillsborough and Wilmington, to Xenia.

From Steubenville by Salem, Millersburg and Hamburgh to Canton.

From Gallipolis by Scioto Salt Works to Chillicothe.

From Avery, by Jessup to Riegerville, to intersect the post rout from Cleveland to Detroit, at Rocky River.

*In Indiana Territory.*

From Brookville by Bath to Sallisbury.

From Valonia by Brownstown to New Natchez, in Jackson county.

From Vincennes to Emmerson's mills, in Knox county.

From the post road to Lebanon to Charlestown pass through Harmony, in Gibson county.

*In Illinois Territory.*

From Shawneetown by White c. h. and Edward c. h. to Vincennes, in Indiana territory.

*In Missouri Territory.*

From St Louis to Potosi and Lawrence c. h. to Arkansas.

From St. Charles, Murphy's in St. Johns settlement, to Fort Cooper or Howard c. h.

*In Maryland.*

From Triadelphia by Damascus to New Market.

From Hagerstown to McConnelstown, in Pa.

From Upper Marlborough to Magruder's tavern, in Prince George county.

*In Virginia.*

From Cabin by Point J. Edmund's, Baileysburg, Urquhart's store, and C. Bower's, to South Quay.

From Wythe c. h. by Tazewell c. h. Russell c. h. Scott c. h. and Lee c. h. to Cumberland Gap, in Tennessee.

From Brown's Store to Dicken's Store Franklin county.

From Winchester by Cedar Creek, Trout Run, and Lost River, to Moorfields.

From Pittsylvania c. h. by B. Wadkin's store and Island Ford, Smith's river to Rockingham c. h. in N. Carolina.

From Wythe c. h. to Giles c. h.

From New Canton to Columbia.

From Aldie to Leesburg.

From Aldie to Battletown.

*In Kentucky.*

From Washington by Maysville to Xenia.

From Columbia to Greensburg.

From Georgetown by Sander's mills and New Fredericksburg to Vevay, in Indiana Territory.

From Washington by Newton, Maysville and Cynthia, to Georgetown.

From Middletown to Breemerstown.

From Glasgow by Hartsville, to Lebanon, in Tennessee.

*In North Carolina.*

From Tarborough, by Staunton's bridge, Snow Hill and Kingston to Duplin c. h.

From Charlotte by Harrisburg, Pine Hill Alexander's, Sandford and Lewisville, to Chester c. h. in South Carolina.

From Murfreesburg by Windsor to Plymouth.

*In South Carolina.*

From Chesterfield c. h. by Lowery's mills and Pickett's store, to Wadesborough in North Carolina.

From Greenville c. h. to Spartanburgh.

From Barfield's by Marion c. h. or Gilesborough, and Godfrey's ferry to Johnson's ferry on Lynch creek.

From Conwayborough by Galliant's ferry to Marion c. h.

From Conwayborough to Smithfield in N. Carolina.

*In Georgia.*

From Jefferson to Hurricane Shoals.

From Montgomery c. h. by Blackmore's and Hardin's to Riceborough.

*In Tennessee.*

From Nashville by Murfreesburgh, Stone Fort and Winchester, in Tennessee Lowry's

Van's old place, and Blackburn's, to Athens, in Georgia.

From Lebanon and Williamsburg to Hilham and Monroe.

From Sparta by Liberty and Lebanon to Nash-

ville.

From Bean's station by Stiffey's mill, to iron works on Mossy Creek, thence to Dandridge.

From Maysville by Morgantown to Tellico Block House.

From Port Royal to John Hunt's, in Robert-

son county.

That the post road from Jonesborough to Greenville pass through Leesburg and Browns-

burg.

From Franklin to Leesburg.

*In Mississippi Territory.*

*Office of claims for property lost, captured or destroyed, whilst in the military service of the United States, during the late war.*

WASHINGTON, June 3.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,**

Pursuant to the act of the U. States, passed the 9th of April last, entitled "An act to authorize the payment for property lost, captured or destroyed while in the military service of the United States, and for other purposes," that all claims provided for by the said act, must be presented at this office on or before the ninth day of April, in the year 1818; as if not presented within that period, they cannot be received, examined and decided on at this office.

*First class of cases*

The claims provided for by the said act are, first, "Any volunteer or drafted militiaman, whether of cavalry, mounted riflemen, or infantry, who in the late war between the United States and Great Britain, has sustained damage by the loss of any horse which was killed in battle, or which has died in consequence of a wound therein received, or in consequence of failure on the part of the United States to furnish such horse with sufficient forage while in the service of the United States, shall be allowed and paid the value of such horse." This provision comprehends three descriptions of cases.

1st. An horse killed in battle.

2d. An horse dying in consequence of a wound received in battle.

3d. An horse dying in consequence of not being furnished with sufficient forage by the United States.

To substantiate a claim of either description,

1st. The order of the government, authorizing the employment of the corps to which the original claimants belonged, or the subsequent acceptance of such corps, or approbation of its employment must be produced.

2d. The certificate of the officer, or surviving officer, commanding the claimant at the time of the accident on which the claim is founded, which certificate, if not given while the officer was in the service of the U. States, must be sworn to; and in every case it must, if practicable, state the then value of the horse so killed or dying. Before any other evidence will be received, the claimant must make oath that it is not in his power to procure that which is above specified; and that the evidence which he shall procure in lieu thereof, is the best which he is able to obtain. In every case the evidence must be on oath, and the value of the horse so killed or dying ascertained. All evidence offered must be taken and authenticated in the manner hereinafter directed, and in all these cases the claimant must declare on oath, that he has not received another horse from any officer or agent of the government in lieu of the one lost.

*Second class of cases.*

"Any person, whether of cavalry or mounted riflemen, or volunteers, who in the late war aforesaid, has sustained damage by the loss of an horse in consequence of the owner thereof being dismounted, or separated and detached from the same by order of the commanding officer, or in consequence of the rider being killed or wounded in battle, shall be allowed and paid the value of such horse at the time he was received into the public service." This class comprehends two descriptions of cases.

1st. When the owner has been dismounted or separated from and detached from such horse by order of the commanding officer.

2d. When the rider has been killed or wounded in battle, and the horse lost in consequence thereof.

The same evidence, in all respects, which is required in the first class of cases will be required in this.

*Third class of cases.*

"Any person who, in the late war aforesaid, has sustained damage by the loss, capture or destruction by an enemy of any horse, mule, or wagon, cart, boat, sleigh or harness, while such property was employed in the military service of the United States, either by impressment or by contract, except in cases where the risk to which the property would be exposed, was agreed to be incurred by the owner, if it shall appear that such loss, capture or destruction was without any fault or negligence of the owner; and any person during the time aforesaid, who has sustained damage by the death of such horse, mule, or in consequence of failure on the part of the United States to furnish sufficient forage while in the service aforesaid, shall be allowed and paid the value thereof."

This class comprehends two cases.

1st. The loss or destruction of property by an enemy, taken by impressment, or engaged by contract, in the military service of the United States, being either an horse, a mule, an ox, wagon, cart, boat, sleigh or harness, excepting articles for which the owners had agreed to run all risks, or which were lost or destroyed by the fault or negligence of the owners.

2d. When an horse, mule or ox, so taken or employed, has died from the failure of the United States to furnish sufficient forage.

In the first of these cases, the claimant must produce the certificate, of the officer or agent of the United States who impressed or contracted for the property above mentioned, and of the officer, or surviving officer, under whose immediate command it was taken or destroyed by an enemy. Such certificates, if such officers or agents at the time of giving them be not in the military service of the U. States, must be sworn to and must positively state that the property was not lost or destroyed through the fault or negligence of the owner, and that the owner did not agree to run all risks. Furthermore, the usual hire of the articles so impressed or contracted for in the country in which they were employed must be stated.

In the second case, the certificate of the officer or agent of the United States, under whose command such horse, mule or ox, was employed at the time of his death must be produced.

Before any other evidence will be received, the claimant must make oath that it is not in his power to produce that which is above specified, and further, that the evidence which offers in lieu thereof, is the best which he

is able to obtain. In every case the evidence must state distinctly the time, place and manner of loss, and the value thereof.

*Fourth class of cases.*

"Any person who, during the late war, has acted in the military service of the United States, as a volunteer or drafted militiaman, and who has furnished himself with arms or accoutrements, and has sustained loss by the capture or destruction of them, without any fault or negligence on his part, shall be allowed and paid the value thereof."

This class comprehends two cases.

1st. The loss of such arms or accoutrements by the enemy.

2d. The loss of the same articles in any other way, without the fault or negligence of the owner.

This provision does not include the cloathing of soldiers, or the cloathing and arms of officers, who, in all services, furnish at their own risk their own. The same evidence, in all respects, is required in this as in the first class, and moreover, that the loss did not happen from the fault or negligence of the owner.

*Fifth class of cases.*

"When any property has been impressed or taken, by public authority, for the use or subsistence of the army, during the late war, and the same shall have been destroyed, lost or consumed, the owner of such property shall be paid the value thereof, deducting therefrom the amount which has been paid, or may be claimed, for the use and risk of the same, while in the service aforesaid."

This provision relates to every species of property taken or impressed for the use and subsistence of the army, not comprehended in any of the preceding classes, and which shall have been in any manner destroyed, lost or consumed by the army, including in its scope all kinds of provisions, forage, fuel, articles for clothing, blankets, arms and ammunition, in fact, every thing for the use and equipment of an army.

In all these cases, the certificates of the officers or agents of the United States, taking or impressing any of the aforesaid articles, authenticated by the officer commanding the corps for whose use they were taken or impressed—and, furthermore, of the officer and agents under whose command, specifying the value of the articles so taken or impressed, and destroyed, lost or consumed, and if any payment has been made for the use of the same, the amount of such payment, and if no payment has been made, the certificate must state that none has been made.

Before any other evidence will be received, the claimant must make oath that it is not in his power to procure that which is above specified, and further, that the evidence which he offers in lieu thereof, is the best which he is able to obtain.

Under this provision, no claim can be admitted for any article which has not been taken by the orders of the commandant of the corps for whose use it may be stated to have been taken. For any taking, not so authorized, the party's redress is against the person committing it.

*Sixth and last class of cases.*

"When any person, during the late war, has sustained damage by the destruction of his house or building by the enemy, while the same was occupied as a military deposit, under the authority of an officer or agent of the United States, he shall be allowed or paid the amount of such damage; provided it shall appear that such occupation was the cause of such destruction."

In this case the certificate of the officer or agent of the United States, under whose authority any such house or building was occupied, must be furnished. Before any other evidence to this fact will be received, the claimant must make oath that it is not in his power to procure such certificate, and that the evidence which he shall offer in lieu thereof, is the best which he is able to obtain.

Furthermore, in all the cases submitted to this office, every claim must be accompanied by a statement on oath by every claimant, of all sums which he may have received, on account of such claim, from any officer, agent or department of the government of the United States, and where he has received nothing, that fact also must be stated on oath by him.

It will be particularly noted by claimants, that the preceding rules of evidence generally, and more especially apply to claims which shall not exceed in amount two hundred dollars, a special commissioner will be employed to take testimony; but in these cases, as far as it shall be practicable, the same rules of evidence will be observed.

In all cases in which the officers or agents of the United States, shall have taken or impressed property for the military service of the United States, which property so taken or impressed, shall have been paid for by them, out of their private funds, or the value thereof received from them in due course of law, such officers or agents are entitled to the same remuneration to which the original owners of such property would be entitled, if such payment or recovery had not been made, and can settle their claims at this office, producing authentic vouchers for such payment or recovery. Nor will any original claimants be paid through this office, till they release all claims against such officers or agents of the United States, on account of such taking or impressment.

In every case, no claim will be paid but to the persons originally entitled to receive the same or, in case of his death, his legal representative, or either event, attorney, duly appointed. When attorneys shall be employed, it is recommended to the parties interested, to have their powers executed in due form.

All evidence offered must be sworn to, except the certificates of the officers, who at the time of giving them, shall be in the military service of the United States before some Judge of the United States, or of the States or Territories of the United States, or mayor or chief magistrate of any city, town or borough within the same, or a justice of the peace of any state or territory of the United States duly authorised to administer oaths, which authority proof must be furnished either by a certificate under the seal of any State or Territory or the clerk or prothonotary

of any court within the same. But the seal of any city, town or borough, or the attestation of any Judge of the United States will require no further authentication.

An office is opened on Capitol Hill in the City of Washington in the building occupied by congress during its last session for the reception of foreign claims.

All persons who have business with this office, are requested to address their letters to the subscriber as commissioner, which will be transmitted free of postage.

RICHARD BLAND LEE,  
Commissioner of Claims, &c.

**DIRECT TAX OF 1815.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has received lists of the Direct Tax of the United States for 1815, remaining due upon property in the following counties in the state of Kentucky, not owned, occupied, or superintended by some person residing within the collection district in which it is situated, and that he is authorized to receive the said Taxes, with an addition of ten per centum thereon:—Provided such payment is made within one year after the day on which the collector of the district where such property lies, had notified that the tax had become due on the same.

For what County.	Date of Collector's notification that the tax had become due
Clay	12th day of January, 1816.
Garrard	ditto
Macison	ditto
Mercer	ditto
Bourbon	10th day of January, 1816.
Bracken	ditto
Mason	ditto
Nicholas	ditto
Lewis	16th day of January, 1816.
Logan	ditto
Warren	ditto
Barren	ditto
Cumberland	ditto
Fayette	12th day of January, 1816.
Jessamine	ditto
Woodford	ditto
Clarke	1st day of February, 1816.
Edsill	ditto
Bath	ditto
Montgomery	ditto
Floyd	ditto
Fleming	ditto
Greenup	ditto
Washington	29th day of January, 1816.
Nelson	ditto
Hardin	ditto
Green	ditto
Lincoln	ditto
Casey	ditto
Air	ditto
Pulaski	ditto
Wayne	ditto
Knox	ditto
Rockcastle	ditto
Campbell	27th day of January, 1816.
Boone	ditto
Harrison	ditto
Gallatin	ditto
Scott	ditto
Franklin	ditto
Pendleton	ditto

JOHN H. MORTON,

Collector of the Revenue for the 2d  
Collection District of Kentucky.

Collector's Office, June 11th, 1816.

\* \* \* The subscriber has received lists of the laws of the United States, will insert this advertisement once a week for eight weeks successively, and forward their accounts to this office.

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**Fayette Circuit, set:**

June Term, 1816.

William Leavy, complainant  
against  
Nancy Holmes, William Holmes  
and Julie Holmes, heirs and  
representatives of Andrew Holmes  
deceased, &c. defendants

THIS DAY came the complainant by his attorney, and the defendants Milley Davis late Milley Ratcliff, James Davis, Tabitha Rummick late Tabitha Ratcliff, Thomas Rummick, Rachael Vanmeter, late Rachael Ratcliff, Abraham Vanmeter, Elizabeth Ratcliff, Joel Ratcliff, Isaac Ratcliff, Benjamin Ratcliff, Dudley Ratcliff, heirs and representatives of Benj. Ratcliff, Deed and Thos. Rummick adm'r.s. of the estate of the said Benjamin, having failed to enter their appearance herein agreeable to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that they are not inhabitants of this commonwealth; on the motion of the said complainant, it is therefore ordered, that unless the said defendants shall appear here on or before the first day of our next August term, and answer the complainant's original and amended bill, that the same will be taken as confessed against them, and that a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized paper of this commonwealth for eight weeks in succession, agreeably to law.

A Copy,—Teste,

THOMAS BODLEY, c. p. c. e.

June 5, 1816. 24-8w



**Stills for Sale.**

The Subscriber has on hand, Stills of different sizes and of the best quality, which he will sell low for cash. He has lately received from Philadelphia a quantity of Copper, which enables him to furnish

**Stills and Boilers**

Of any size, at the shortest notice. He also continues to carry on the

**TINNING BUSINESS,**

as usual.—

Two or three JOURNEYMAN TINNERS would be employed, to whom the highest wages will be given. M. FISHER.

Lexington, Feb. 12th, 1816. 7-1f

**Constables' Blanks,**

For sale at this Office.

**To the Public.**

**THE WASHINGTON FIREPLACE,  
AND COMMON-FUE.**

Lately invented by Mr. John C. Brush, of the city of Washington, embraces all the principles and forms necessary to give all the benefits that can rationally be expected from that source of Domestic Comfort—The room and materials that may be saved will pay the patent right, the finish of the rooms much handsomer, the smoke flue perpendicular, the Jambs on each side equal, no more room taken than what is necessary for the fire place in each room. When this plan is fully adopted and faithfully executed, your house may be completely ventilated with the best air which is very conducive to health: it is all important for sleeping; one half of the fuel used in the common fireplace, will give more comfort: the house will be worth nearly one quarter more than in the ordinary mode of building. It only needs to be understood to be approved and adopted. The following certificates are from Gentlemen of the first respectability in Kentucky, and so far as they are known ought to remove prejudice, silence fear, and induce the ignorant to obtain better information before they condemn. Those who build should not contract to have the brick laid in the Chimney by the thousand—The best workmen should be employed at the Chimneys, as they are the most important for the comfort and safety of the property.—Printers who will give this a few insertions will be at liberty to use the improvement for their own benefit. The undersigned is legally authorised by Mr. Bush, the Patentee, to convey any part of the western and southern states or territories to others, to construct, use and vend the said improvement. Letters addressed to me at Frankfort, Ky. (post paid) will be attended to.

STEPHEN ANDRES, Assignee.

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**CERTIFICATES.**

Oakley, near Frankfort, Kentucky.

This is to certify, that a fire place in my chamber which had smoked intolerably & much to the injury of my house for ten years past, and would yield to no remedy heretofore tried, has been rendered altogether comfortable, free from smoking, and at the same time giving out a much greater portion of heat from an inconsiderable quantity of fuel by fixing therein the Washington fire place, on the common flue, by Mr. Stephen Andres. I have had other fire places repaired on the same plan, all of which perform well, and I hesitate not to say, that the improvement is really valuable, and cannot fail in promoting the comfort as well as the health of families, attended with great saving of fuel. Given under my hand this 8th day of April, 1816.

SILAS M. NOEL.

Frankfort, April 9th.

The fire place of my office having